IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
		:	Examiner: Tawfik A. Goma
YUKARI AOKI)	
		:	Group Art Unit: 2627
Application No.: 10/616,939)	
		:	Confirmation No.: 3022
Filed: July 11, 2003)	
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For:	MAGNETO-OPTICAL)	
	RECORDING MEDIUM	:	
	HAVING TWO UNDERLYING)	
	LAYERS HAVING	:	
	DIFFERENT)	
	CHARACTERISTICS AND	:	
	METHOD OF PRODUCING)	
	THE SAME	:	March 7, 2007

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

(a) <u>Introductory Comments</u>:

In response to the Official Action dated December 8, 2006, kindly amend the subject application as follows: